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SUBJ: CURFEW AND STRICT SECURITY PREVAIL IN OLD DELHI

REF: NEW DELHI 5894

1. EMBASSY CONTACTS AND LOCAL POLITICAL STAFFER WHO TOURED OLD DELHI AFTERNOON APRIL 23 REPORT THAT CURFEWS REMAIN IN EFFECT IN THE MUSLIM AREAS OF THE OLD CITY. THERE WAS A HEAVY POLICE PRESENCE IN THE MAJA MASJID AREA WHERE THE IMAM PRESIDED OVER A WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING. A RELATIVELY SMALL CROWD OF WORSHIPERS WERE ALLOWED THROUGH SECURITY CORDONS TO ATTEND THE SESSION. ACCORDING TO AREA RESIDENTS THE MEETING WAS PEACEFUL.

2. WHEN THE ADCM MENTIONED THE ARREST OF PAKISTANI PILGRIMS (REFTEL) TO THE NEWLY APPOINTED JOINT SECRETARY FOR PAK/AFGHAN AFFAIRS, I.P. SINGH, THE LATTER WAS ASTONISHED. HE SAID HE HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT SUCH

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